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How Do They Do It?





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Difference Is Slight.

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When Clark Griffith had a winning team in 1912, 1913, and 1914, he had what is known as an airtight infield, supporting the best of pitching. Gandil's value to the Griffmen was not so much because of his hitting, which was good for two years, but because of his brilliant fielding. It was Gendil's fine hitting that made possible the White Sox victory in the pennant struggle last season, for the pennant struggle last season.

has first two trials in fast company.
With Morgan out of the line-up, a distinet difference is seen in the spirit of the infield. The whole bunch lose their For two reasons, at least, the pitch-

For two reasons, at least, the pitching should be an improvement next season. The first is that Harry Harper will start even with the othera, getting the same amount of training and regular work, once the season gets under way. He wasted half of inst season nursing a sore wing.

The second is that the sale of Bert Callia to St. Louis should compel Man-Gallia to St. Louis should compel Man ager Griffith to use Doc Ayers more frequently. The Virginia mountaineer

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Washington's chances for success prove. More use of Ayers and less of Dumont and Galifa last year would have brought better results. Much Depends on Judge.

As for that improved fielding, much Manager Griffith made at Chicago. depends on the recovery of Joe Judge. If enough players are drafted is he is able to play again in his old If enough players are drafted from the first division teams of last season, there should be a greater general balance in the league. Cleveland seems to be hit hard by the draft. Boston's big trade with the Mackmen has bolistered up the Red Sox, though Bush, Schang, and Shanks or Gharrity has to play the draft. Thus far the Chicago White Sox, world's champlons, have not suffered much, losing a third-string catcher and Jim Scott, whose pitching days were about done, anyway.

The Detroit Tigers have so far escaped much harm, losing one or two substitutes, but Hughey Jennings fears he will loss Howard Ehmke, sowners paying it over. The acquisitions and the statement of the substitutes, but Hughey Jennings fears he will loss Howard Ehmke, sowners paying it over. The acquisition of the substitutes, but the substitutes, but the search of the search of the substitutes, but the search of Neither will the \$15,000, except by the owners paying it over. The acquisition of Lavan and Shotton should prove of decided benefit to the Griffmen, and if the first-division teams of 1917 loss enough of their stars the Washington club may repeat, or even surpass, its work of 1912, when it was in the pennant hunt all season long.

Ray Fisher, the veteran pitcher of

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Michigan and Chicago will play football next year and in 1912. The first game, accord-ing to P. G. Bartleme, director of athletics at Michigan, will be played here, Chicago going to Ann Arbor in 1919. Chicago won, 2 to 0, in their last game, played in 1905. It was also announced that Michigan had booked a game with Northwestern for

is a whale for work in cold weather or hot. When pitching in his turn, he is a valuable man, as the official records to be issued this week will after leaving Washington.

BOSTON, Dec. 16.—Pitchera Pennock and Bader, of the Boston Americana, have enlisted in the navy as yeomen. This makes eleven members of the team who have joined the nation's first line of defense.

WILL PLAY MARYLAND.

Georgetown University will play the University of Maryland Tuesday night in Ryan gymnasium before call-ing off practice for the helidays.

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RAISING A BIG FAMILY

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DENT A LIEUTENANT.

Elliot Dent, a former Washington
pitcher, has passed successfully the
examinations at Leon Springs, Tex.
and been commissioned a first lieutenant in the artillery. He was with
Atlants in the Southern Association
after leaving Washington.

TWO MORE SOX ENLIST.

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SOL METZGER WEDS.

WASHINGTON, Pa., Dec. 16.—601 Metzger, for the past two years foot-ball coach at Washington and Jefferson College, was married last Tues-day at Ashion, R. L. to Miss May E. Oakley, according to wedding received here by his friends. according to wedding notices

WINTER LEAGUE PAYS.

The mid-winter baseball league in thern California, divided into two GAME CALLED OFF.

The Washington Soccer Club-Olympia game scheduled for today has been called off on account of the washing money. The class been called off on account of the lamb are about as good as class been called off on account of the lamb are about as good as class been called off on account of the lamb are about as good as class been called off on account of the lamb are drawing lamb are lamb are drawing lamb are lamb are drawing lamb are la large crowds.

PIRATES UNDECIDED.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 18—Barney Dreyfuss has yet to choose a train-ing camp for his Pirates. He wants to send them to Jackson, Tenn., but players, prefer Hot prings, Ark. their wishes may be respected.

FLINCHUM IS CAPTAIN.

CARLIBLE, Pa., Dec. 16.—John F. Flinchum, tackle, has been elected captain of the 1918 Carliele Indian football

They're Playing Now

NOPE

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 16 .- The Dixie League is under way, and the crowds are growing larger and larger every Sunday. Today it is expected that from 8,000 to 10,000 fans will be on hand to see a doubleheader at Heinemann Park. With tales of blizzards coming down from the frozen North, it should be cheering news to baseball fans above the Mason and Dixon line to know that down here in sunny New Orleans baseball is being played before big crowds.

The Dixie League is composed of professional and semi-pro players, many of whom have had experience in the big leagues. A majority come from Southern Association, Texas League, and Alahama

Umpire Allison and one of the players, and a triple play in which Catcher Cyril McCann, of the Porkonys, was the hero.

Last Sunday's doubleheader was featured by a fist fight betwee

SHORT SPORT TALKS

By Louis A. Dougher

Kid Williams, former bantam champion, should have his job cut out for him so win from "Kewpie" Ertie, the St. Paul midget, at Baltimore next Monday night. If the officiating causes no scandal, boxing will have received a big boost in the Monumental City. It is to be hoped that the referee will be competent and will decide correctly when these two prom-

While neither is the titleholder, nevertheless Pete Herman has but Rickey.

Horneby has taken every advantage of this popularity to boost his salary, for before he left for his home in Texas he said that he would not play and has more of a future staring at him.

There is always plenty of action in a bantamweight battle. The big given a contract cailing for \$10.000

the pennant struggle last season, for he failed to reach 25 with the stick. The Griffmen failed last year because of three things: A certain lack of argressiveness and faith in themselves. In addition, the shown by the team since Clark Grifflith about. It was not because of weak hitting.

New for the Parture.

Just what increase in aggressiveness there will be next year cannot now be guessed. If Morgan is with the team, and played requisirly at second base, he should be a live wire working with a loss.

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THE VALUE OF ALUMNI.

Dartmouth's 1918 football eleven will clash with Syracuse at the Polo Grounds, New York, next November, thanks to consistent effort on the part of New York's Dartmouth alumsi. The Hanoverians, just as they were about to grasp the Eastern championship in 1918, went to New York for a game with the Carliele Indians. It looked all over but the shouting until the Indians proceeded to wipe up the gridiron with the New Hamp shire team, winning 34 to 0. That went down badly, and so Dartmout cut New York from its schedule.

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But the alumni, knowing that the location had absolutely nothing to do with that defeat, got busy. They insisted that they be given an opportunity to show their loyalty and hospitality, and the result is the booking of the Dartmouth-Syracuse contest for next season. This is one of the values of an alumni society, and the Hanoverlans of New York are to be convertantated.

WILL YOU READ THIS?

"Shotton beat out a bunt in the fifth, advancing to third on two infield outs. Then came Lavan's hit in the pinch, a slashing single to left, scoring Shotton. That later on proved the deciding tally of the day."

Will you be likely to read this next summer? Very probably. Shotton's speed going to first base ranks with that of any player in the business. Indeed, many think he is the fastest man in the majors in getting to first, barring nabody.

Lavan is a light sticker, that's true, but even his light hitting tops that of the trio performing in the shortfield for the Griffmen last sesson, while his fielding is considerably better. In a pinch Lavan is generally dangerous, as many Washington pitchers know to their sorrow, especially Harper and Shaw. From a Washington angle, Griffith seems to have helped his team

THAT KILLS ONE RUMOR.

"Til give you \$60,000, Thomas, Kopp, and Gregg for Strunk, Schang, and Bush," said Harry Frazee to Connie Mack, and bingo, with that one blow he killed that rumor running around the country that he would sell out his interests in the Boston club. He's going to stick, even if Ban Johnson does try to force him out of the circuit.

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ARDMORE'S SEASON BRINGS GOOD BOUT

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Fred Walker, who pitched for Syrausse last season, before coaching the unbeaten Williams College football eleven, is thinking of giving up professional baseball and stick to college work. He is now coaching the Dartmouth baseball baseball baseball baseball

If Army Draft Comes

To Major Leagues

BOSTON, Sept. 12.—Gus Dorner pitched airtight ball here yesterday against the Gianta, winning by a score of 6 to 0. The Braves fell upon Joe McGinnity's slow ball and made nine hits, one a home run by Bob Ganley. Loces fielding by McGraw at third and Dahlen at short was respicuable for three of the Braves talles.

TED LEWIS ON JOB.

COLUMBUS, Chio, Dec. 16.—Ted Lewis, welterweight, champion, in

tefeated the Phillies here yesterday, to 5, in a spectacular game going sleven innings. "Slient John" Hummel's single in the final frame brought home Tom Needham with the winning run. 'Lefty' Pasterious pitched cleverly for Brooklyn.

Charlie Brickley THINKS.

Charlie Brickley, former Harvard star, who played three games with the Massillon, Ohio, professional eleven, says that "say road college retire. On the other hand, he is Grove Winter and Eddle Pilest." eleven, says that "any good college team could beat a good 'pro.' combination." He lays great stress upon the professionals lack of team play and signal drill.

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G. W. AND C. U. FIVES WIN DISTRICT LEAGUE GAMES

Catholic University ran up a goodly count quickly on the green State five and was content to rush in substitutes when the game was well in hand. O'Brien, Ryan, and Glascott, with Nugent, who was substituted, proved adopt at advancing the ball. State played a good guarding game despite the faster footwork of the Red and Black players.

Gallautlet and George Washington were nip and tuck during the entire game until the last six minutes. The half ended with the score at 8 to 8 in favor of the Hatchstites. The long floor seemed to bother the Kendall Greeners for they would work the ball up only to lose it.

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George Washington and Catholic second game. "Obe" got four floor goals and made nine of his twevre made two field goals and was the strength of the defense in goarding. Coach Rice sent in a graft of substitutes during the last part of the game, and there was no scoring save when Berlin, of Stata hooked in a nice was upstiting the dope and winning from a dribble.

The scores and summaries:

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line in Maryland should be packed to the doors. Smith has never been seen at Ardmare, but his record is well known, for he has been in the ring for years. He has met all the leading middle weights in this country, Australia, and Europe. In Australia he twice bettled the late Lea Darcy, losing one beut on a foul. In Europe he tackled the fast-rising Georges Carpenter, now Fannce's greatest athletic hero. Sheeler is a comer. He battled Silent Howard at Ardmore last spring, making an excellent impression by IN OPENING GAME

forward, is trying his hand out at coaching, and has taken the Preps in tow on the Hilltop these days. The Georgetown youngsters opened their season yesterday by trimming Western 31 to 11.

Fees' lads are rangy and showed a deal of yeard arguing the Westernary.

SYRACUSE IN GOTHAM

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 16.—Dart-mouth and Syracuse will meet at the Polo Grounds in November, 1918, all arrangements having been completed Georgia Tech offered the Orange au-

CHICAGO, Dec. 16. Lena Black-burne, bought by Charlle Comisions for \$3.50 from Providence years ago, is coming back to the major leagues

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